

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

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lines 2-3:

The present invention relates to a refuse compressor of the kind described in the introductory part of claim 1.

lines 12-20:

This is achieved by embodying the pressing cylinder as described in the characterising part of claim 1. This herein, which will have the effect that the length of the cylinder in its unloaded position is essentially shorter than the cylinder's length of stroke. The cylinder can have a diameter which is approximately equal to the diameter of the pressing plate. As the cylinder therefore can operate at a lower working pressure, the cylinder can be constructed with a smaller wall thickness or of other materials lighter than steel, for example synthetic materials. The pressing cylinder therefore becomes light and easy to handle. Furthermore, production costs will be low.

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Other embodiments of the invention include:

~~Claim 2 describes~~ preferred stop organs, which come to rest against each other in the extended position and limit the length of stroke.

~~By the embodiment described in claim 3 it is achieved that the individual cylinder sections for a pressing cylinder according to the invention cannot rotate in relation to each other.~~

~~Claim 4 relates to~~ preferred means for attachment of a diaphragm to the pressing cylinder according to the invention.

~~Claim 5 describes~~ the advantage of the fact that a torque

acting on the cylinder sections by the turning of the windings in a spring is counter-acted by another spring.

~~Claim 6 describes~~ the advantage of the fact that the spring can be taken up in the hollow space in the third cylinder section in the retracted position of the pressing cylinder.

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